PATENT 450100-03167

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE RECEIVED

Applicants:

Yasuaki Yamagishi, et al

CENTRAL FAX CENTER

Serial No.:

09/839,872

JUN 1 6 2005

For:

SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MANAGING CHANGES IN A

PUBLIC KEY CERTIFICATE DIRECTORY

Filed:

April 20, 2001

Examiner:

Jung W. Kim

Art Unit:

2132

Confirmation No.:

4338

745 Fifth Avenue

New York, NY 10151

hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted via factimile 703-872-9306 to Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria VA 22313-1450, on June 16, 2005

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir.

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on May 2, 2005, having a three month statutory period for response set to expire on August 2, 2005, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to amend the above-identified application as follows.

00285928